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- 1. JP 4-5655
- 2. JP 1-200258

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To assist the Examiner, the documents are listed on the attached form PTO-1449. It is respectfully requested that an Examiner initialed copy of this form be returned to the undersigned...

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